



## Current Indiana Prevention Programs

- Afternoon's R.O.C.K. in Indiana (ending Dec. 2012)
- Family Prevention Education Programs (beginning July 1, 2012)
- SAC (Indiana State Excise Police)
- TRIP/SYNAR
- State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup
- Indiana Prevention Resource Center
- PSUPP (State Department of Health)
- LEAD Initiative
- New Opportunities!!!!

## What is the LEAD Initiative

### **The LEAD Initiative was designed to:**

- Develop a network of youth leaders to facilitate prevention programming to their peers
- Enhance current leadership programs with more effective prevention strategies
- Increase the use of youth leaders in Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Prevention (ATOD) programming.
- Reach communities throughout Indiana by integrating youth into the Indiana prevention system
- Reduce ATOD use among youth

## Accomplishments

### **LEAD Initiative Accomplishments:**

- 461 Adult-to-Youth trained leaders
- 72 Adult-to-Adult trained leaders
- 108 Peer-to-Peer trainings
- 1,661 Peer-to-Peer trained youth leaders
- Approximately 15,378 youth reached through PREV-CAMP activities

## History

- In late 2001 the Indiana Division of Mental Health and Addictions (DMHA) set out to find an organization that could create a statewide network of youth prevention leaders.
- Geminus Corporation, along with several Indiana Boys & Girls Clubs and the Indiana Youth Services Association – Youth Services Bureaus worked together to create the LEAD Initiative.
- The goal of the program was to strengthen youth leadership across Indiana by providing opportunities for youth including training, resources, and networking and to implement trained youth leaders into prevention programs so that youth receive prevention messages from their peers through peer-led activities.
- Began with Cohort One in March of 2002 as a program for youth leadership development and alcohol, tobacco and other drug (ATOD) use prevention. The key to the creation of the initiative was incorporating elements that had a focus from one or more of the following research-based prevention principle areas: Peers, Families, Communities, and Schools.

## Current Clubs

Boys & Girls Club of Bloomington - Bloomington  
 Boys & Girls Club of Bartholomew County, Foundation for Youth - Columbus  
 Boys & Girls Club of Harrison County - Corydon  
 Northwest Indiana Boys & Girls Club - East Chicago Club - East Chicago  
 Boys & Girls Club of Evansville - Evansville  
 Boys & Girls Club of Ft. Wayne - Ft. Wayne  
 Boys & Girls Club of Franklin - Franklin  
 Boys & Girls Club of Huntington - Huntington  
 Boys & Girls Club of Indianapolis – Lilly Club - Indianapolis  
 Lyn Treece Boys & Girls Club of Tippecanoe County - Lafayette  
 Lyn Treece Boys & Girls Club of Tippecanoe County - Beck Lane Unit - Lafayette  
 Northwest Indiana Boys & Girls Club - Lake Station Club - Lake Station  
 Lebanon Area Boys & Girls Club - Lebanon  
 Ed Endres Boys & Girls Club - New Albany  
 Wayne County Boys & Girls Club – Jeffers Unit - Richmond  
 Terre Haute Boys & Girls Club - Terre Haute  
 Wayne County Boys & Girls Club – Central Unit - Richmond  
 Boys & Girls Club Evansville - Fulton Unit - Evansville  
 Boys & Girls Club Bloomington – Ellettsville Unit - Ellettsville

## Family Prevention Programs

Starting July 1, 2012

### Grantees

- Scott County Partnership, Inc —Guiding Good Choices
- Southwest Indiana Meth Alliance (Bloomfield)—Strengthening Families
- Our Place Drug and Alcohol Education Services, Inc. (New Albany)—New Beginnings
- Youth First, Inc. (Evansville) —Strengthening Families
- Eastside Community Center, Inc (Columbus)—Guiding Good Choices

## Indiana Prevention Resource Center

- ATOD Youth Survey
- Resources
- Keep Rx Safe
- IPGAP
- SYNAR
- TRIP
- Evaluation
- Local Data Resources
- Training

## Other Programs

- Prenatal Substance Use Program
  - Allen, Clark, Dearborn, Dubois, Delaware, Elkhart, Franklin, Grant, Jennings, Lake, LaPorte, Madison, Marion, Ohio, Owen, Putnam, Ripley, Spencer, Switzerland, Tippecanoe, Vanderburgh, Vigo, and Warrick
- SEOW
  - IUPUI Center for Urban Policy
- Afternoon's ROCK in Indiana

## Possible Upcoming Funding Opportunities

- Local Planning Grant using the SPF/Communities that Care Process to develop Community Specific Prevention Strategic Plans
- Prevention Strategic Plan Implementations
- Expansion of Family Focused Programming
- Expansion of Environmental Strategies
- All programs funded will have mental health promotion component and develop services beyond an universal population
- Looking to support a state wide strategic plan by focusing local efforts on greatest need

## Thank You

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